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Ontario Dental Nurses & Assistants Association

EDITORIAL

Spring Convention this year will be held at the downtown Holiday Inn starting April 27 until April 30, 1980. Our usual time for the Spring Meeting has been changed, so make a note of the date and be sure you make your plans for Convention now. Refer to the Convention program which you will find on page 4 so you can plan the social functions and lectures that you don't want to miss. Turn to page 17 to find the registration form and mail it in without delay.

Please take note, for all interested members, that the Annual Meeting of the O.D.N. & A.A. is scheduled for Sunday, April 27, 1980. This change from Monday to Sunday was made in order to allow more members to attend. Sunday is a day free of lectures so therefore there is no problem with the times of lectures conflicting with the Annual Meeting. Also any of you interested members who are not able to attend Convention, due to the inability to take time off work, the Annual Meeting is now available to you on a Sunday afternoon. Attend your meeting and see what goes on but most important of all let your voice be heard.

Brenda Moffatt has been able to schedule a varied program of interesting speakers for Convention. You will find a page published, in this issue, introducing each speaker involved in the program.

More of you should be made aware of the Breakfast held on Wednesday morning — the last morning of Convention. This Breakfast, hosted this year by the Toronto D.N. & A.A., is held in honour of our President, Patricia Howes. It is always well organized and a delightful function to attend. On that morning the presentation of the trophies will be made, including the Journal Contest trophies. This is a very exciting time for all who attend and I'm sure you will get caught up in the whirlwind of emotion as I do each time.

I would like to express my gratitude to my Journal Committee for their hard work this year and their help when it was required at such short notice.

Convention time is a time to get in touch with your profession and the people in it. It gives a spirit of belonging and good fellowship. You are all members of this Association and you should make the effort to join in. You'll be glad you did.

HEATHER A. NIKOLAEW
Editor

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Only Members of the O.D.N. & A.A. can participate in the lucky draw. No other entries will be accepted. Each participant in the lucky draw will only be allowed to win once per year. The Judge's decision will be final.

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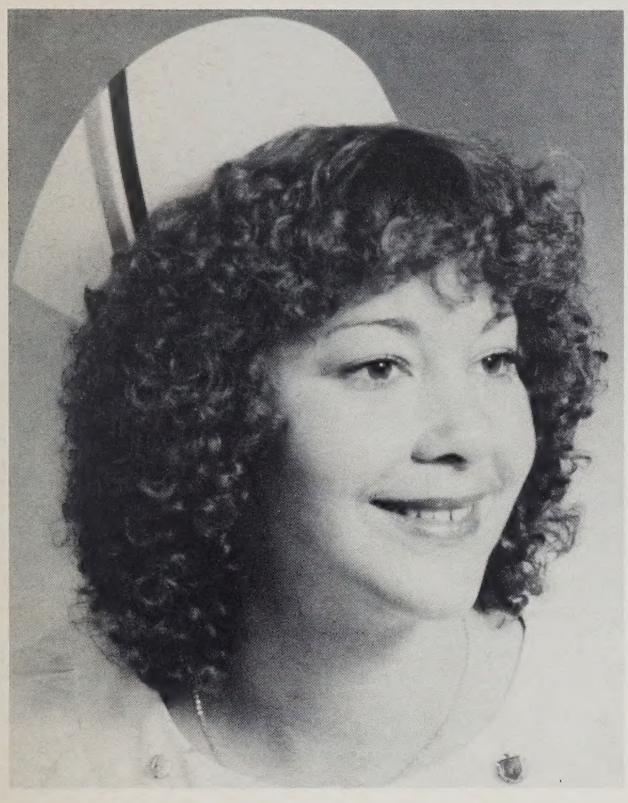
ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY MARCH 31, 1980.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



As my term of office comes to an end, I look back over the past year, and am pleased to say that many, if not all of my goals as your President have been accomplished. The successes of the past year are a result of a very hard working Board of Governors, Affiliate Associations, and Committee Members.

The final report of the 'Employment Guidelines Committee', will be published in a Journal by the Auxiliary Services Committee, of the Ontario Dental Association, in the very near future. My sincere thanks to Susan Winter, and her committee for many hours of work put into preparing this report.

I am confident that the two day workshop held in December of 1979, in Toronto, has strengthened the lines of communication between the Affiliate Associations and the O.D.N. & A.A. Board. It was a great learning experience for all who participated.

Information regarding insurance programmes offered through C.D.S.P.I. is now available from all Affiliate Board Representatives, or by contacting C.D.S.P.I. directly. We have not, as yet, been able to acquire a complete insurance programme, covering all the areas we had hoped for, but will continue to try to do so next year.

I look forward to meeting many new friends, and renewing old friendships at our 49th Annual Spring Meeting, being held April 27-30, at the Holiday Inn, Downtown, in Toronto. My sincere thanks to Brenda Moffatt, and Patricia Miller for planning this meeting. *Please* pre-register, using the registration form found in this Journal.

Our Annual Meeting will be held on Sunday, April 27, at 2:30 p.m. This meeting has been scheduled on Sunday this year so that we could offer more speakers on Monday's programme. This Annual Meeting is *your chance* to voice *your opinions*. Please plan to attend, and let *your* executive know what *you as members* want.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank many people who have helped me carry out my duties as your President.

Your Journal has continued to grow and improve, due to the hard work and dedication of the Editor, Heather Nikolaew. It is certainly a Journal we can all be proud of. I urge you to support this Journal, and to help Heather, by submitting articles of interest.

Many thanks to Margaret Deichert and Patricia Miller, for their continued efforts on behalf of the Accreditation Division, through Clinic Days, and Student Educational Days, and for representing this Association on so many O.D.A. Committees. I would like to express my gratitude to them also, for sharing with me, their knowledge and experience.

A special thanks to my family, employers and co-workers, and especially to Nancy Block for their continued support and encouragement during my term of office.

My best wishes to Brenda Moffatt, our incoming President, who is a very dedicated and capable leader. I wish her success, and urge you to support her in her future endeavours.

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to serve as your President.

PATRICIA M. HOWES, C.D.A.
President, O.D.N. & A.A.

A PRIMER IN HUMAN RELATIONS

H ave self control
U nderstand others' viewpoints
M ake others' interests your own
A dmit it when you are wrong
N ever make promises you can't keep.

R eason; don't argue
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ONTARIO DENTAL NURSES AND ASSISTANTS ASSOCIATION

49th ANNUAL CONVENTION

April 27, 28, 29, 30, 1980

CHAIRPERSON: Brenda Moffatt, C.D.A.
MANAGER: Patricia Miller, C.D.A.

SUNDAY, APRIL 27, 1980

8:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. Combined Meeting — Board of Directors and Accreditation Board of Governors
St. Patrick Room, Holiday Inn

1:00 p.m. President's Luncheon, by invitation only
St. George Room, Holiday Inn

2:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Registration — 2nd Floor, Holiday Inn
Ann Phippen, Executive Director
Susan Winters, Treasurer

2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. O.D.N. & A.A. Annual Meeting
Election of 1980-1981 Executive
St. Patrick Room, Holiday Inn

4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Cocktail Party — Terrace Room, Holiday Inn
Hosted by:
Margaret Deichert, Accreditation Chairperson
Patricia Howes, President of O.D.N. & A.A.

7:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m. Sunday Evening Buffet
with the "INK SPOTS", dancing
$12.00 per person, Sheraton Centre.

MONDAY, APRIL 28, 1980

8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Registration — 2nd Floor of Holiday Inn.
Ann Phippen, Executive Director
Susan Winter, O.D.N. & A.A. Treasurer

9:00 a.m. Opening Ceremonies
Commonwealth Room East, Holiday Inn

Convention Chairperson: Brenda Moffatt
Convention Manager: Patricia Miller
O.D.N. & A.A. President: Patricia Howes
O.D.A. President: Dr. Pitkin
O.D.A. Convention Chairperson: Dr. Perlmutter
R.C.D.S. President: Dr. Calzonetti
C.D.A. President: Dr. C. Covte
Academy of Dentistry President: Dr. Pick
Invocation: Dr. J. Guest

9:30 a.m. to 11.45 a.m. **Dr. Ralph I. Brooke**
"Don't let the face fool you" — or "Facial Pain"
Commonwealth Room East, Holiday Inn

12:00 p.m. to 1:45 p.m. "Cabaret Luncheon" — live entertainment
Host: O.D.A.
Commonwealth Room West and Centre, Holiday Inn

2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. **Dr. Leonard N. Johnson**
"Don't get stuck with Dental Cements"
Commonwealth Room East, Holiday Inn

3:45 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. **Dr. Donald R. Gratton**
"All you wanted to know but were afraid to ask about Lab Techniques"
Commonwealth Room East, Holiday Inn

2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Table Clinics
Civic Ballroom, Sheraton Centre
View Commercial Exhibits, Sheraton Centre

9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. Monday Night Dance featuring
the "Stan Hiltz Orchestra"
$10.00 per person
O.D.N. & A.A. SPRING DANCE
Commonwealth Ballroom, Holiday Inn

TUESDAY, APRIL 29, 1980

8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Registration — 2nd Floor, Holiday Inn

9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. **Dr. Gerald Z. Wright**
"Tips in Paedodontics"
Commonwealth Room East, Holiday Inn

15 Minute "Juice Break"

10:45 a.m. to 12.00 p.m. **Mrs. Lorna Miller**
"Nutrition" Education for "You"
Commonwealth Room East, Holiday Inn

12:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. "Lilac" Luncheon followed by a luncheon speaker:
Mr. Paul Goldman, Southfield, Michigan
Hosted by the London Dental Nurses and Assistants Association
Convenor: Helen Crowe
Commonwealth Room West and Centre

2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Table Clinics: Civic Ballroom, Sheraton Centre
View Comercial Exhibits, Sheraton Centre

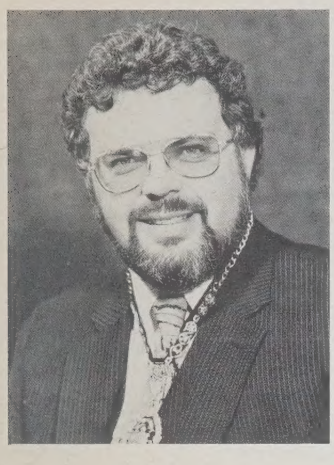
9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. Spring Fest '80 — $5.00 per person
Sheraton Centre

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30, 1980

8:30 a.m. "April Showers" Breakfast honouring
Patricia Howes,
President of the O.D.N. & A.A.
Hosted by Toronto Dental Nurses and Assistants Association
Convenor: Liz Anderson
Commonwealth Room Centre
Presentation of Trophies and
Table Clinic Trophies,
Presentation of Journal Awards
Introduction of the incoming president by Dr. Richard Beyers.
Installation of the 1980-1981 O.D.N. & A.A. Executive

Immediately following the Breakfast there will be a Post Convention Board Meeting. Official Suite, Holiday Inn.

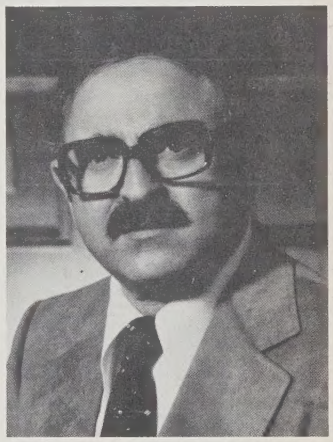
WELCOME TO THE 113th ANNUAL SPRING MEETING OF THE O.D.A.



May I take this opportunity to extend my very best wishes to all members of the Ontario Dental Nurses and Assistants Association in attending their April 1980 Convention Meeting. I urge all of you to partake fully of the events planned for you and share in the learning and fellowship offered. I am especially grateful for the support and advice offered by your Executive during my term as the Ontario Dental Association's President and thank them for their great effort on behalf of the entire dental team. Enjoy your meeting and participate — it's for **everyone's** benefit.

Sincerely,

DR. GARY PITKIN
1980 O.D.A. President



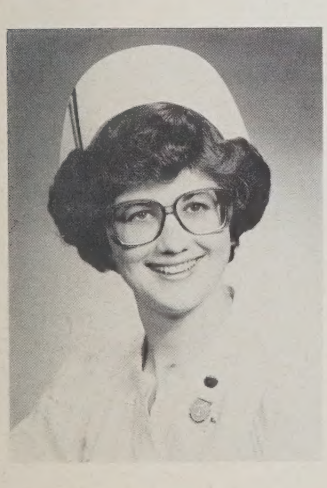
It is a pleasure, as always, to convey my welcome to the members of the Ontario Dental Nurses and Assistants Association who are with us for the 1980 Ontario Dental Association Convention.

We have arranged a program which should include something to suit every taste. The meeting provides unlimited opportunities for collaboration and communication, professionally and socially, to the mutual benefit of all who choose to participate.

Please take full advantage. Let us all share, enjoy and depart after this meeting more enlightened, more satisfied and better prepared to provide ideal care for our patients.

GORDON PERLMUTTER, D.D.S.
Convention Chairman

MESSAGE FROM THE O.D.N. & A.A. CONVENTION CHAIRPERSON



As chairperson of this year's 49th Annual Spring Convention of the O.D.N. & A.A., I am pleased to announce that we have a fun filled, and informative programme set up for your enjoyment. This year the convention is being held in the month of April from the 27th to the 30th, at the Holiday Inn, Civic Centre, in the heart of downtown Toronto.

While the lectures from various prominent people in our field will be held in the Holiday Inn, the table clinics and commercial exhibits will be held in the Sheraton Centre across the park from the Holiday Inn.

A great deal of work has gone into the organizing and planning of this year's convention and now the rest is up to you. With your attendance at the various lectures and table clinics both you, and the convention, overall will benefit. Let's see you all there this April, taking part.

Remember to register as early as possible. It will give you a chance to look around before the Convention swings into high gear and it will enable us to better carry out our job as organizers. Early registration also means you won't get stuck with long line ups.

One final note: Don't forget to attend the Annual Meeting of the O.D.N. & A.A. which will be held at the Holiday Inn on Sunday April 27th. During that meeting the new executive of your Association will be elected. Don't miss this opportunity to cast your vote.

BRENDA MOFFATT, C.D.A.
Convention '80 Chairperson

Monday, April 28, 1980

RALPH I. BROOKE,
Topic: *"Diagnosis and Treatment of Facial Pain"*
Time: 9:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m., April 28, 1980

Dr. Brooke graduated from the University of Leeds in Dentistry in 1957 and in Medicine in 1963. He received a Fellowship in Dental Surgery, Royal College of Surgeons of England in 1967 and became a Visiting Professor in the Department of Oral Medicine, State University of New York at Buffalo in the period 1970-71. In 1973, Dr. Brooke received his Ontario certification in Oral Pathology and a Fellowship in the Canadian Academy of Oral Pathology and in 1976, he became a Fellow of the Royal College of Dentists of Canada.

His present appointments are those of: Professor and Chairman, Department of Oral Medicine, University of Western Ontario; Chief of Dentistry, Univerisity Hospital, London, Ontario; Honorary Lecturer, Department of Medicine, University of Western Ontario; Honorary Lecturer, Department of Pathology, University of Western Ontario; Consultant in Medicine, University Hospital; and Consultant in Dentistry, St. Joseph's Hospital and Victoria Hospital, London.

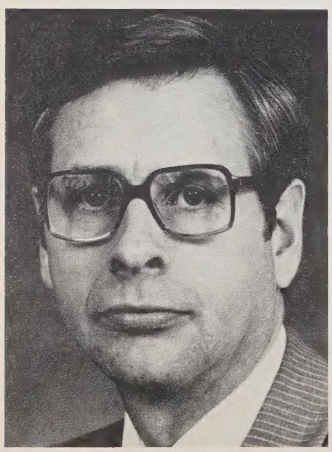
Among his contributions to the literature are chapters in standard textbooks on oral medicine and cancer therapy. His research interests lie in the fields of facial pain and immunological diseases involving the mouth.

LEONARD N. JOHNSON,M.S., Ph.D., B.S.
Topic: *"Don't get stuck with Dental Cements"*

Born in Portland, Oregon, Dr. Leonard Johnson received his Bachelors of Science at Pacific University of Oregon and His masters at the University of Oregon Medical School. He graduated with his Ph.D. in chemical and metallurgical engineering and dental materials from the University of Michigan in 1965.

Dr. Johnson began his medical teaching career in 1958 as an instructor at the University of Hawaii. The next year he became a research associate at the University of Oregon's School of Dentistry. In 1965 Dr. Johnson moved east to the University of Kentucky's College of Dentistry where he took the task of instructor and director of Dental Materials Science.

In 1967 Dr. Johnson left his native land to emmigrate to Canada, and settle in London, Ontario. From 1967 to 1970 Dr. Johnson was associate professor and chairman of the Division of Dental Material Science at the University of Western Ontario. From 1970 to the present time Dr. Johnson has been an Honorary Lecturer in the Department of Biophysics at Western.



DONALD R. GRATTON, D.D.S., M.S.
Topic: *"Laboratory Techniques"*

Don Gratton is presently Associate Professor and Co-ordinator of Clinical Restorative Dentistry, Department of Restorative Dentistry, Faculty of Dentistry, The University of Western Ontario in London.

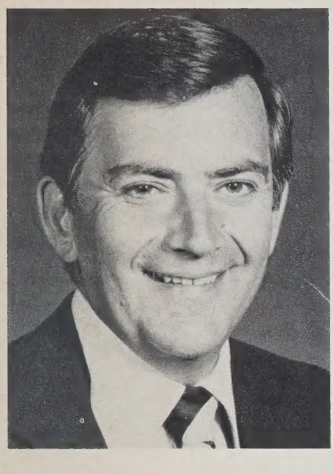
After graduating from the University of Toronto, Faculty of Dentistry in 1961, he engaged in private practice in Exeter, Ontario while teaching part-time at UWO, in the Division of Removable Prosthodontics. Then in 1973, he moved to the University of Michigan to take graduate training in Fixed Prosthodontics, receiving his Masters Degree in 1975.

He then returned to UWO, where he is presently responsible for the clinical fixed prosthodontic program.

He is a member of the American Academy of Crown and Bridge Prosthodontics, the Association of Prosthodontists of Ontario and has presented a number of papers in the United States and Canada.

VENTION SPEAKERS

Tuesday, April 29, 1980



GERALD Z. WRIGHT, D.D.S., M.S.D.
Topic: *"Tips in Paedodontics"*

Dr. Gerald Z. Wright is presently professor and chairman of the Division of Paedodontics at the University of Western Ontario. Dr. Wright was born in Winnipeg, Manitoba and educated at the University of Toronto, where he received his Doctrate in Dental Surgery. He received his M.S.D. in 1970 from Indiana University. He is a diplomat and an examining member of the American Board of Paedodontics as well as a Fellow of the Royal College of Dentists of Canada.

Dr. Wright's teaching career has taken him to two continents and three countries. He was a visiting professor at the Hebrew University in Jerusalem, Israel; an instructor of Paedodontics at Indiana University and the University of Manitoba before coming to the University of Western Ontario.

To date Dr. Wright has written twenty journal articles and edited two books. He has also been involved since 1970 in Continuing Education having contributed to more than fifty such programs.

LORNA JEAN MILLER, R.P.Dt., B.A.Sc.
Topic: *"Nutrition Education for 'YOU' "*

For the past seven years Lorna Miller has dedicated herself to promoting better nutrition in the Region of Waterloo, Ontario. Since taking the post of Community Nutritionist at the Waterloo Regional Health and Social Services, Mrs. Miller has planned, implemented and evaluated nutrition education programmes for health professionals, school teachers, community agencies and consumer groups.

Mrs. Miller took her undergraduate training at the University of Guelph. In 1972 she became a Registered Professional Dietitian after completing the Dietetic Internship Programme at the Ottawa Civic Hospital.

A prolific writer Mrs. Miller co-authored 'Nutrition Happenings' at School with D. Chute and L. Grant. She has also written numerous articles and handbooks for consumers and health professionals including Nutrition Week: Learning Experience in the School Community, in the Illinois Teacher Journal.

PAUL E. GOLDMAN
Professional Management Consultants

Topic: *"The Role of the Dental Assistant in the 80's"*

Paul E. Goldman heads his own consulting firm, Paul E. Goldman & Associates, Professional Management Consultants. For the past ten years he has worked in hundreds of dental offices helping doctors based on the needs and goals of their practices.

He did his undergraduate work at Arizona State, Northern Michigan University and received his Masters in psychology from Wayne State University.

He has lectured in private seminars and universities around the United States and Canada on practice management.

NOMINATIONS FOR 1980-81

NOMINATION REGULATIONS

Nominations may be made from the floor of the Annual Meeting as well as by the Nominations Committee. Written consent and qualifications of the candidate shall be presented when nomination is made.

To be eligible for election, all candidates must:
1. Be 21 years of age or more
2. Shall be an active or life member of the Association

To be eligible for Governor of the Accreditation Division a candidate must:
1. Be 21 years of age or more
2. Shall be an active or life member of the Association
3. Shall be a certified dental assistant or an accredited preventive dental assistant
4. Shall have served at least one year as an accreditation representative of an Affiliated Association

NOTE:
1. Not more than one (1) of the governors of the Accreditation Division shall be a preventive dental assistant
2. No dentist, dental hygienist, denture therapist or registered dental technician is eligible for election to any office
3. A qualified person may stand for two offices, but when elected to one office may not stand for another office

The following is a list of the officers of the O.D.N. & A.A. for 1979-80

PRESIDENT: Miss Pat Howes
PRESIDENT-ELECT: Mrs. Brenda Moffatt
VICE-PRESIDENT: Mrs. Pam Gignac
SECRETARY: Ms. Heather Mitchell
TREASURER: Mrs. Susan Winter

ACCREDITATION DIVISION,
BOARD OF GOVERNORS
1. Miss Margaret Deichert
2. Miss Pat Miller
3. Mrs. Esther Reith
4. Mrs. Elsie Gallop
5. Miss Lynn Morris
6. Miss Elizabeth Anderson

In accordance with the By-Laws:
The Nominations Committee presents the following list of candidates for the term 1980-81:

PRESIDENT: Mrs. Brenda Moffatt
PRESIDENT-ELECT: Mrs. Pam Gignac
VICE-PRESIDENT: Mrs. Christine Dow
SECRETARY: Miss Elizabeth Anderson
TREASURER: Miss Helen Crowe

ACCREDITATION DIVISION,
BOARD OF GOVERNORS
1. Miss Margaret Deichert
2. Mrs. Pat Miller
3. Mrs. Esther Reith
4. Miss Lynn Morris
5. Miss Elizabeth Anderson

NOMINATION FORM

I _____ NOMINATE _____
NAME CITY

as a Governor of the Accreditation Division of the O.D.N. & A.A.

Signed _____

CONSENT OF NOMINEE

I hereby give my written consent to allow my name to stand for nomination to the office of Governor of the Accreditation Division of the O.D.N. & A.A.

Signed _____ Dated _____

NOMINATION FORM

I _____ NOMINATE _____
NAME CITY

to the office of _____ of the O.D.N. & A.A.

CONSENT OF NOMINEE

I hereby give my written consent to allow my name to stand for nomination to the office of _____ of the O.D.N. & A.A.

Signed _____ Dated _____

Written consent and qualifications of the candidate should be in the hands of the nominations committee by April 10th, 1980.

Forward to: Mrs. Annette de Crombrugghe
319 King St. N., Box 1136, Alliston, Ontario L0M 1A0

TABLE CLINIC DISPLAYS FOR CONVENTION 1980

(1) DENTAL ASSISTANT STUDENTS

St. Clair College — Windsor, Ontario
Topics: 1. "All you wanted to know about AMALGAM but were afraid to ask."
2. "Follow the Tooth Saving Road."

Niagara College — Welland, Ontario
Topic: 3. "Radiation Hazards."

Cambrian College — Sudbury, Ontario
Topic: 4. "Dentistry for the Handicapped."

Georgian College — Orillia, Ontario
Topic: 5. "Dental Public Health Week."

Etobicoke Collegiate Institute — Islington, Ontario
Topic: 6. "Come and "C" the most important."

Lorne Park Collegiate Institute—Mississauga, Ontario
Topics: 7. "Hazards in a Dental Office"
8. "Patient Education"
9. "Oral Hygiene Instruction"

(2) AFFILIATED DENTAL ASSOCIATIONS

London Dental Nurses and Assistants
Topic: 10. "The Answers to Those X-ray Questions."

Hamilton Dental Nurses and Assistants
Topic: 11. "Diagnostic Techniques of an Orthodontic Examination."

Waterloo-Wellington Dental Nurses and Assistants
Topic: 12. "Food for Thought — Body and Spirit."

The table clinics can be viewed in the Civic Ballroom, Sheraton Centre between 2:30 and 4:30 p.m., Monday April 28 and Tuesday April 29.

CONVENTION ACCOMMODATION

Mail to: Holiday Inn-Toronto, Downtown
89 Chestnut Street, TORONTO, Ontario M5G 1R1

PLEASE PRINT

PLEASE RESERVE ACCOMMODATION AS CHECKED (√) BELOW
Reservation must be received 14 days prior to arrival.

Date of Arrival _____

Time of Arrival _____

No. of Nights _____

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____

Double bed for one	$40.00
Double bed for two	$46.00
Two beds for two	$
	$

Extra person $6.00

ROOM HELD UNTIL 6:00 P.M. UNLESS GUARANTEED BY DEPOSIT

FREE PARKING

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE:
Ontario Dental Nurses and Assistants
April 27-29, 1980
Cut-off date March 29, 1980

HIS ROOTS ARE BASIS FOR BOOK

Dr. Bryan Walls is a Past President of the Essex County Dental Society in Windsor. Dr. Walls taught for 4 years at St. Clair College in the Dental Hygiene program. He is a member of the Wolverine Dental Society in Michigan. Dr. Walls is married with 3 children and has a practice in Windsor.

Proud to be a descendant of slaves, Windsor dentist Dr. Bryan Walls sees himself on a road to peace and harmony — forged by generations of his ancestors from Africa, North Carolina and finally Essex County.

A soft-spoken, spiritual man, Walls has made his own contribution to the cause of racial harmony by writing a book about his particular family. The first printing of 10,000 copies will be distributed by the first of April 1980.

And already, he said, there have been inquiries about the purchase of movie rights.

"We have been left a legacy in terms of human rights," said the 33-year-old Pelissier Street resident. "I'd like to make my family's story public to show other people what good they can do — if they are tolerant."

His book is a fictionalized but documented saga about the Walls family, who originally came to America as slaves from Africa.

But there is a twist in the family history — a magnificent love story.

The dentist's great-great grandfather, John Freeman Walls, grew up a slave in Rockingham County, N.C. And, although he was in bondage, he was the master's best friend. When the master died, he willed his highly educated wife, Jane and their four children to John.

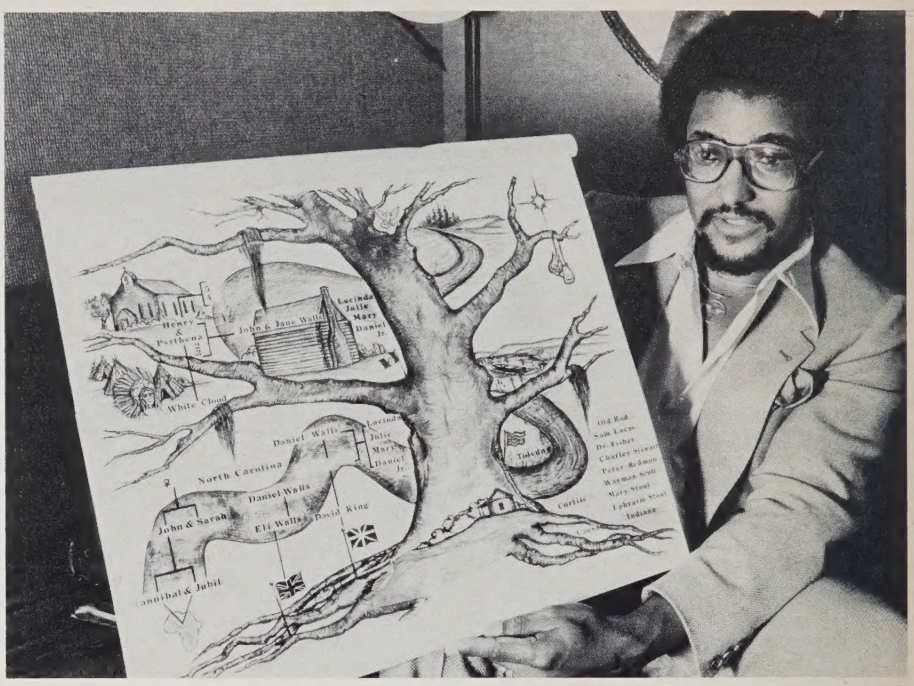
Realizing they could not stay in the United States, the family travelled by Underground Railroad to Essex County and established themselves on a farm on the Puce Road.

They had six more children and a long, happy marriage.

Cabin was terminal

Their log cabin served as a terminal for the Underground Railroad, aiding some of the 40,000 fugitive slaves who came to Canada before the abolition of slavery in the United States.

And it served as the first gathering place for the congregation of Puce's First Baptist Church.



Bryan Walls, Windsor dentist, has family tree all mapped out.

The cabin, now designated a historical site, has been home for members of the Walls family from the 1840s through to the present.

"The story of Jane and John was all part of the family legend passed on by Olive, my late grandmother," said Walls, who attended the same one-room school-house as his ancestors in Puce. As a teenager, he became the first black Baptist school president at Catholic Assumption High School in Windsor.

"She used to always say 'You are of slaves descendant, just as good as anyone.' "

Family pride also inspired Canada's first black champion boxer, Earl Walls.

Champ in Canada from 1952 to 1956, Walls, who is Bryan's uncle, was also the best in the British Empire and a third contender for the World Champion title.

He is a major character in Walls' book, which is titled "The Road That Led to Somewhere."

About five years ago, exploring the attic in the family cabin, Walls found some concrete evidence of the family's heritage: a gun and a letter referring to the railroad, dated 1854.

Floyd Walls, a fireman in Michigan, he began to trace the family geneology.

Roots difficult to trace

The history of slave families is difficult to trace, said Walls. But because Jane was free and white, they traced their roots right back to the Troublesome Creek in Rockingham County.

Now waiting to hear reaction to the book, Walls is full of anticipation. "It's a combination of Roots and Rocky — a family epic and a boxing story," he said.

It will inspire people to do good, he said, but it doesn't "beat the reader over the head" with religion.

Because of some of the insights Walls has about the life of blacks in Canada, he said he has been invited to meet with Emmett Cardinal Carter in the near future.

Last year, Walls submitted the manuscript to a publishing company in Montreal but the contract they offered wasn't acceptable — and infringed on film rights, said Walls.

Family members from all over Ontario and the United States got together and established Olive Publishing Company to print the book their way.

To help with the finances, The Church of God in Christ has offered to back the book as a fund-raiser in the States and Canada.

But as Walls prefers dentistry to business, the book will probably be distributed with the aid of a distributing company.

His next book will concern the research and preparation of The Road that Led to Somewhere. One of the many adventures the cousins have encountered in the last five years occurred just recently.

A briefcase containing all the historical documents and book and movie rights contracts, was stolen from Floyd's car near his home in Ypsilanti. After several days it was ransomed for $25 from young children.

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To order an Autographed Copy at a cost of $12.95 each, write to:
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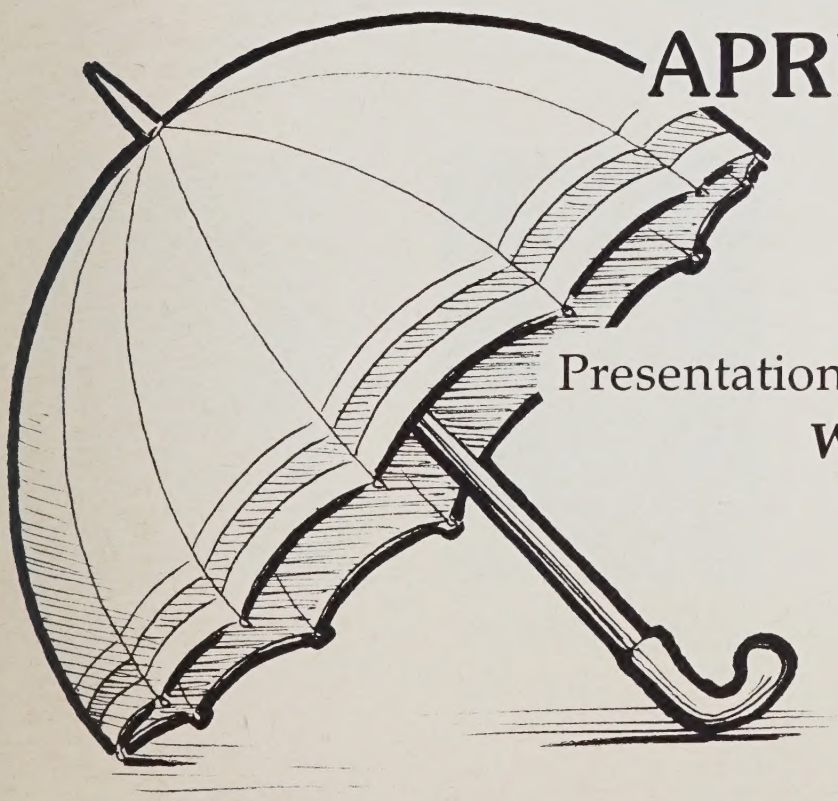

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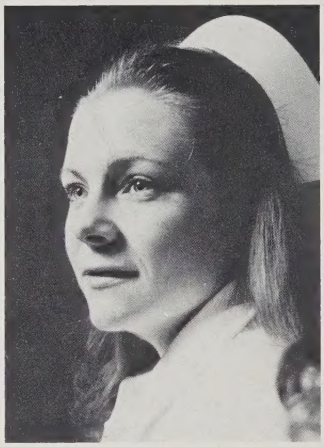

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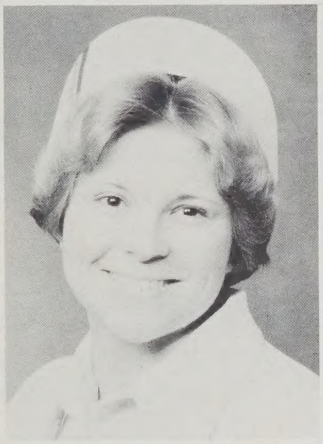

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CANADIAN DENTAL NURSES' AND ASSISTANTS' ASSOCIATION

CERTIFICATION RENEWAL

Renewal applications were mailed in September to all dental assistants certified in the years 1971, 1974, and 1977. YOUR RENEWAL DATE WAS JANUARY 1, 1980. Be sure to complete the application, attach all necessary proof of continuing education and your renewal fee prior to sending to me your provincial representative for national certification.

If by chance you did not receive your application in the mail please contact me immediately. (Refer to the back of your Journal for the address listing)

NOTICE

The point system has been changed and you will now require 50 points during the three year period — effective January 1, 1980 to maintain your National Certification. The renewal fee will be $25.00 over the three year period.

HELP!

Do you know someone who applied for National Certification in January, February, March 1979? If you do please ask them to contact the office of the Executive Director — Miss Elaine Wesley, SS 1-1-21 Lethbridge, Alberta T1J 4B3, if they are holding a certification number between 1015 and 1050 and have not previously registered this number with her. As a result of all records being lost in the fire the names for these nationally certified dental assistants are not recorded.

The following are some Continuing Education Courses available through the Canadian Dental Nurses & Assistants Association.

MARGARET L. DEICHERT
Provincial Representative to
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C.D.N.A.A. Continuing Education Courses

Therapeutics for Dental Auxiliaries (Basic)
Dental Auxiliaries are not responsible for prescibing or administering medicaments, however there are several areas included in Dental Therapeutics that she/he should be knowledgeable in.

The format of this basic course presents an outline of the drugs and chemicals used in the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of dental disease, including those agents used in controlling anxiety. Local anesthetics, nitrous oxide-oxygen analgesia and general anesthetic will be discussed along with certain elements pertaining to the physiological effects following administration. Considerable emphasis will be placed on the proper ordering and storage of drugs common to the dental office and on the responsibility of the auxiliary in assisting the dentist if an emergency should occur following administration. A general interest chapter on the abuse of drugs will be included.

Evaluation process: Written examination. Pass mark 65%.
Fee: C.D.N.A.A. Certified Dental Assistants $15.00
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10 points of continuing education.

Blood Pressure and its Measurement
More dental offices today are purchasing equipment for the purpose of recording the blood pressure of each patient as a part of the routine examination and then recording their findings on the medical history. The physiology of blood pressure (normal and in cases of hypertension), how to measure and record with special emphasis on the effect of an elevated pressure in the administration of medications, particularly local and general anesthetic, are important aspects of this course. The manual is accompanied by a cuff, gauge and stethoscope for practical application of the theoretical knowledge. This course involves completing an exercise sheet in which the student will be required to take and record a designated number of blood pressures.

Evaluation process: Written examination. Pass mark 65%.
Practical evaluation. Pass Mark 100%
Fee: C.D.N.A.A. Certified Dental Assistants $55.00
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Psychology of Patient Management

This program is designed to begin with a discussion on the formation of patient attitudes towards prevention and treatment which provides a basis for behaviour exhibited in the dental office. The majority of this course will deal with pedodontic patients; setting the scene, helping to create a desire for good dental health, education of parents in their role, techniques in the prevention of behavioral problems and the management techniques when a problem does exist. The adolescent patient, the aged patient and the patient with special needs are also included in the course. Communicative skills are discussed to assist you in expressing yourself both verbally and nonverbally to patients of all ages. A section of the manual will deal with the importance of a good mental attitude in your career as a dental auxiliary and the effect that your attitude has on the ability to deal with problems associated with a dental office environment.

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Journal Contest Entries are due now. The judging will take place early in April so it is necessary to have all articles in the mail today. Remember there are beautiful trophies to be won. You can be the one to win.

Good Luck!

THE EDITOR

SMOKING — EVERY PACK OF CIGARETTES SHORTENS LIFE . . . .

Every pack of cigarettes shortens the smoker's life by almost two hours.

In nine out of 10 lung cancer cases, the disease was brought on by smoking.

If a smoker gives up tobacco, the added risk of an early death disappears after about 10 years.

These statistics are not new. The connection between smoking and disease has been known for more than 15 years and studies on the health hazards of smoking have been published around the world.

But smoking and lung cancer deaths continue to rise. Despite all the information available to them, smokers around the world still find it extremely hard to kick the tobacco habit.

Alarmed by this persistent trend, a group of doctors and health experts has launched a worldwide campaign against smoking. They held a meeting in London, Eng. in the spring of 1978, to bring together health officials from 20 countries to exchange ideas on the best ways to help smokers give up tobacco.

The doctors want to co-ordinate their campaign through local societies for cancer prevention. There are 180 such organizations in 80 countries, and almost all belong to the International Union Against Cancer, (UICC), a Geneva-based association which is sponsoring the anti-smoking campaign.

TRY TO HELP . . .

"We're trying to help the inexperienced cancer society to act effectively," Dr. Nigel Gray, the UICC project director, said. "The whole idea of this workshop is to get the cancer societies interested, show them how to run an anti-smoking campaign and persuade them they can do it."

Both good and bad news prompted the UICC to launch its international campaign.

In Britain, where the mortality rate from lung cancer is one of the world's highest, smoking-related deaths have started to decline. A similar decline seems to have begun in the United States and Australia.

Cigarette advertising now is banned in 12 countries and health warnings are required on cigarette packs in 11. Despite these successes, the overall balance is negative.

Lung cancer deaths continue to rise, with the number of women dying from the disease increasing faster than that of men. Perhaps as an outgrowth of the women's liberation movement, women have increased their tobacco consumption dramatically in the last decade.

In consumer societies such as the United States and West Germany, tobacco companies have introduced cigarettes especially designed for the female smoker.

ENJOYING BOOM

One trend the UICC finds particularly worrying is the increasing tobacco use in the Third World. Although far from widespread, smoking is enjoying a boom in underdeveloped countries, with educated urban males the largest consumers.

Third World sales are expanding at five per cent annually, while world consumption growth is only three percent. Smoking is often promoted in the Third World through hard sell advertising no longer permitted in the United States and Britain.

Tar content, an important factor in lung cancer, is usually above levels permissible in developed countries. In the Philippines, for example, average tar levels are twice as high as in North America.

Dr. David Reed, assistant director of UICC, sees these trends as the result of an aggressive sales strategy by the tobacco industry.

"As the more developed countries begin to control their smoking problems, the international tobacco countries would turn to the countries less capable of defending themselves," he said. "One could hypothesize that, since the tobacco companies couldn't sell high-tar tobacco in the U.S. anymore, the Philippines is probably the place to get rid of it."

Dr. Gray agreed. "The tobacco industry is organized internationally, and we find we have to be organized internationally as well." he said.

ISSUED BOOK

Because smoking — and anti-smoking work — varies from country to country, the UICC finds it impossible to design one strategy for all local cancer societies. Instead, it issued a book of guidelines which each society can use as it needs.

The book, entitled "Lung Cancer Prevention" reads like a politician's primer. It gives cancer societies detailed instructions on how to run an anti-smoking campaign in schools, and offers refutations to the most common pro-smoking arguments. There is even an analysis of anti-smoking laws for the cancer society aiming to change the laws in its country.

The book presents Norway's efforts as the best example of a sophisticated, government-supported campaign. In 1973, the Norwegian Storting (parliament) passed a law banning all tobacco advertising, ordering health warnings revenues to anti-smoking campaigns and research.

Since June, 1975, when the advertising ban came into effect, smoking among males has dropped to 44 from 52 per cent.

The government-sponsored National Council of Health and Smoking also launched an extensive educational campaign. In one of its most successful projects, 30 teachers who lost their voices through smoking-induced throat cancer, tour the country informing school children of the hazards of the tobacco habit.

"The tobacco act make it clear to the Norwegian people that we have an anti-smoking government," Dr. Kjell Bjartveit, director of the National Council, told the London workshop. "This gives our message on smoking and health the authority we need to get it through barriers of ignorance and indifference."

Reprinted from the "Heartbeat" Journal

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THE EDITOR

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT

I believe that
If you do good,
People will accuse you of
Selfish ulterior motives.
DO GOOD ANYWAY

If you are successful
You win false friends
And true enemies.
SUCCEED ANYWAY

Honesty and frankness
Make you vulnerable.
BE HONEST AND FRANK ANYWAY

People favor underdogs
But follow top dogs.
FIGHT FOR SOME UNDERDOGS ANYWAY

People really need help
But may attack you if you help them.
HELP THEM ANYWAY

Give the world the best you have
And you'll get kicked in the teeth
Give the world the best you've got,
ANYWAY

Author Unknown
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DENTAL HEALTH WEEK April 13-19, 1980

The following article was taken from the Kitchener-Waterloo Record in April 1978. It appeared in a section of the paper called "Just Talking".

This is **Dental Health Week.** A fact of which I became acutely aware Wednesday morning at my dentist's as he probed and tsk-tsked over my molars — held together with a motherlode of various metals — and my gums, which seem to be holding their own.

Actually, my dentist is young, has a charming personality, and is virtually painless. He also has one of those long upholstered workbenches that tilt you at his will, and soft music piped into the rooms to soothe you. But I still grow numb with fear at the thought of going to the dentist. I know other people who fall asleep while the dentist works on them. Now that's cool.

While my mouth was stuffed with those hunks of white tubing, my dentist held the floor for a small lecture on preventing dental disease. As he made his points I agreed, with strange gargling sounds and by rolling my eyes. Dentists are smart. They know you can't talk back under those circumstances.

The villain in both tooth decay and gum disease (the major cause of tooth loss in adults) is plaque. Now we've all heard about plaque — that sticky, white substance that accumulates on the teeth and under the gums every 24 to 36 hours. It's made up mainly of bacteria which feed upon the sugar you eat, and which produce acid as a by-product. Well, you know what acid does to you. If the acid hangs around your teeth for long periods of time it dissolves the enamel and decay sets in. Then you've got cavities and they invade the pulp and before you know it your choppers are shot. And you end up with a false set grinning at you from a glass of water on the night table.

You can fight plaque: Use fluoride to make your teeth structure stronger and more resistant to acids; clean the acid-producing bacteria away; cut down on sugar, especially between meals. And visit your dentist regularly to catch small cavities before your teeth become big casualties.

Now that seems simple. But since brushing is the first line of defence in dental hygiene, you have to learn the proper technique and select the proper brush. Dentists recommend a soft-bristled brush with a small head and a straight handle. And dentists are the experts in telling you how to brush, as well as how to use dental floss which is as important as brushing.

Toothpaste? Most dentists favor those with fluoride. Toothpaste has been around for centuries. In fact research shows that in 400 B.C. the Romans used a concoction of burned hare's head, three ground mice, honey, anise seeds, myrrh, greasy wool and pure white wine. If that didn't make them throw up, they gargled with goat's milk.

A couple of hundred years ago one of the most popular toothpastes contained red coral, dragon's tears, seed pearls, cuttlefish bone, crab eyes, honey of roses, cinnamon and clove oil.

Today dentifrices are almost totally chemical, with the basic components being about 50 per cent polishing agent, 15 to 25 per cent moisturizer, 20 per cent water, two per cent binder, one per cent or so of flavouring, and traces of preservatives and colouring. The therapeutic toothpastes contain about 0.1 per cent fluoride to help fight cavities.

Now the polishing agents are made of inorganic chemicals most people can't pronounce or spell. But one of them is chalk. And the taste is covered up with flavourings such as wintergreen, spearmint, peppermint and cinnamon. (Years ago a company brought out an exotic line of fun toothpastes flavoured with fake whisky, rum or brandy. They didn't last long. It was hard getting an arresting officer to swallow that the fumes from your breath were toothpaste.)

I wonder whatever happened to plain old salt, baking soda and water?

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TWENTY-FIVE YEAR PINS

To qualify for the "Twenty-Five Year Pin" you are required to have twenty-five years continuous membership in the Ontario Dental Nurses & Assistants Association as an active or associate member.

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Name .....

Home Address.....

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First year you were a member of the Ontario Dental Nurses and Assistants Association .....

Have you been a member in good standing of the Ontario Dental Nurses and Assistants Association for Twenty-Five consecutive years?

YES..... NO.....

Will you be attending the Annual Convention of the Ontario Dental Nurses and Assistants Association in April, 1980?

YES..... NO.....

We hereby declare this information correct. Date .....

Signature of Applicant .....

Signature of Witness.....

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Date
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Entry Form
Please mail along with cheque for $5.00 (made payable to ODA Convention Run) for each participant to: ODA Convention Run, 234 St. George Street, Toronto, Ont. M5R 2P1. *Further details and official number will be supplied well beforehand.*

In consideration of your accepting this entry, I hereby for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, waive and release The Ontario Dental Association and Metropolitan or City Parks organization, their agents, representatives, successors and assigns, from any and all claims and demands whatsoever by reason of any act, matter, cause or thing whatsoever relating to and/or arising out of my participation in the ODA Convention Run. I certify that I am physically fit to compete in this event.

Signature _____ Date _____

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Address .....

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Employer's Address .....

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Are you attending the Annual Convention of the Ontario Dental Nurses & Assostants Association Association for TWO consecutive years, inclusive of the 1980 Annual Convention?

Yes..... No.....

We hereby declare this information correct. Date .....

Signature of Applicant .....

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AFFILIATED ASSOCIATION NEWS
UPCOMING EVENTS

LONDON

"Correction" — The date of the May meeting, the dinner and fashion show has been changed from May 20th to May 27th. The location and other particulars about the fashion show will be announced at the meeting to be held on March 18, 1980.

Submitted by
HELEN CROWE
Vice-President

NIAGARA DISTRICT

We hope to see you at the following meetings:

Monday, February 11, 1980 — Casa D'Oro, Niagara Falls. Speaker: Dr. J. Doucet, "Orthodontics"

Wednesday, March 12, 1980 — Racine Karate Club, Port Dalhousie. "Self Defense for Women"

Thursday, April 17, 1980 — Rice Bowl, St. Catharines. "Elections"

Tuesday, May 13, 1980 — Holiday Inn, St. Catharines. Speaker: Dr. J. Grehan, "Hypnotherapy".

Monday, June 16, 1980 — Casa Del Toro, Welland. "Congratulations to the Newly Certified Dental Assistants"

Please plan to attend, it can be a very enjoyable evening.

LAURA PETRIS, C.D.A.
Secretary

WINDSOR

March 27, 1980 — Guest Speaker: Dr. Starr (Pedodontist). Location and Time to be announced.

April 10, 1980 — We are sponsoring a "Dentist-Dental Assistants Dinner" to be held at the Windsor Yacht Club. "Rick Hamilton" from CKLW will be one of our special guest speakers for the evening.

An Academy Award Hour will be sponsored and presented to the Dentists.

The W.D.N. & A.A. will also be putting on a skit.

Submitted by
LYNN MORRIS, C.D.A.
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WATERLOO-WELLINGTON

March — On March 19th our meeting will be held at the TIEN SUN, Cambridge. Dr. Charmaine Jones will be speaking on "Stress and working women".

April — April the 16th meeting will be situated at the Edelweis Tavern. This will be Election time.

June — Our June meeting will be a picnic at a farm in West Montrose.

We will have a Clinic Day on March 8, 1980 put on by the Waterloo-Wellington and Brant District Associations. This will take place at the Cambridge Holiday Inn. The guest speaker will be Dr. Selik. His topic will be "Down From the Ceiling in the Dental Office".

Submitted by
WENDY THALER
Corresponding Secretary

AFFILIATED ASSOCIATION NEWS
PAST EVENTS

NIAGARA DISTRICT

Our January meeting was held at the "Hind Quarter" in Welland. Mr. A. Turnstill and Mr. A. Mirdawi of St. John Ambulance were our guest speakers. Their topic was "First Aid." The film presentation was very interesting. The contents of this lecture will be useful at home and at the office. Nineteen girls attended. For those who were present at the meeting, they became a "Lifesaver" of St. John Ambulance.

This month marks the twenty-second anniversary that Germaine Guertin has been employed by Dr. C. Down, D.D.S. of St. Catharines. Congratulations, Germaine!

LAURA PETRIS, C.D.A.
Secretary

SIMCOE COUNTY

January 8th, 1980 — Following the business meeting, our guest speaker Mrs. Roberta Beecroft held a discussion with all members present on making the most of your potential and improving your self-esteem.

February — no meeting.

March 11th, 1980 — Our guest speaker was Dr. G. James, Orthodontist from Orillia.

Respectfully submitted
MRS. ANNETTE DE CROMBRUGGHE
Board Representative

WINDSOR

December — Our Christmas was held at the Red Sail Restaurant and Tavern on Friday, December 14, 1979. Due to a problem with attendance on a Friday night, we will hold our 1980 Christmas Dinner on a week night sometime late November or early December.

January — On January 31, 1980 we had a general business meeting to discuss phone calls and letters for Assistants who were not being informed of the meetings and lectures.

February — On February 18, 1980, some of the items on the agenda for discussion were: a full finance report, and our April Dinner. Our special guest was Cheryl Rolfe, C.D.A. She discussed our employment situation in Windsor. She is setting up a Temporary Employment Facility called "Fill In" (Part-Time).

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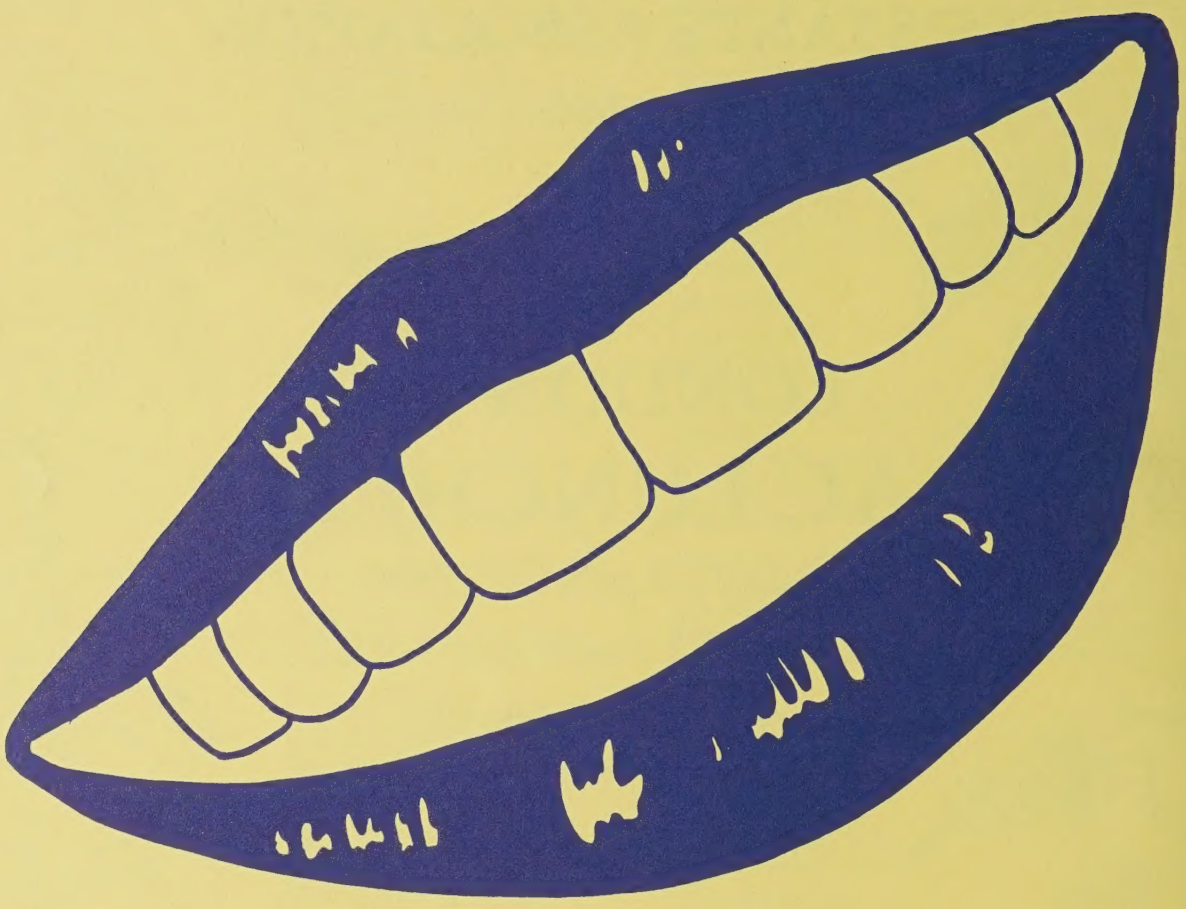

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